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Dear Sirs:

This refers to ET Docket No. 03-104.

I am opposed to Broadband Over Power Lines or BPL.

The BPL signal covers 2 to 80 MHz and would cause interference to the Amateur and Shortwave broadcasts.

Part 15 does not allow this interference. An Amateur RF expert from the ARRL has stated that the BPL system would definitely increase noise on the Amateur Bands.

As an Amateur Radio Operator and a Shortwave Listener, I strongly recommend that the BPL system not be allowed to go into operation.

Sincerely,

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